Group IV:

Claims 74-87, directed to a method of amplifying a target sequence to produce a signal within a dynamic range of a detection assay comprising

using a set of differentially labeled primers;

Group V:

Claims 88-99, directed to a method of amplifying a target sequence to produce a signal within a dynamic range of a detection assay comprising using at least two differently labeled nucleotides corresponding to different

relative label concentrations, and

Group VI:

Claims 100-103, directed to a plurality of target sequence detection

components comprising a plurality of probes.

Applicant elects the claims of Group II (claims 35-52) without traverse, for prosecution in the above-identified application.

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